Rev. W. B. Beauchamp at the Broad-Street Methodist To-night.

DR. HAWTHORNE'S SERMON.

Mayanagh Will Sing at the Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. this Afternoon. Other Church News. Catholic Notes.

The last of the eeries of sermons to young men will be preached by Rev. W. B. Beauchamp at Broad-Street Methodist church to-right. The subject will be "The Priceless Possessions."

A fine musical programme will be rendered as follows: Voluntary, "Carliate Domino" (Bridgewater); Quartette, "To Thy Pastures" (Sage): Anthem. "Incline Thine Ear" (Himmel): Offertory, "Kipling's Recessional" (De Koven), by Miss Franklin; Anthem (without accompaniment), "Saviour, Again" (Dykes). The pastor expects to preach another series of sermons especially to young men in March.

Rev. Carey E. Morgan, pastor of the Seventh-Street Christian church, will preach to-day at both morning and evening services. His subject this morning will be: "How a Man of God was Sustained in His Troubles." For the evening his subject is: "How to Study the Bible"

was Sustained in His Troubles. For the evening his subject is: "How to Study the Bible."

At the Third Presbyterian church Rev. W. H. Dodge, D. D., will preact at both morning and evening services.

Rev. Henry Emerson Hovey, of Portsmouth, N. H., will conduct services and preach at St. Paul's church.

Bishop J. C. Granbery will occupy the pulpit at Park Place Methodist church to-night. Bishop Granbery is one of the most cloquent preachers in the Methodist Conference. The gulpit will be occupied this morning by Rev. J. T. be occupied this morning by Rev. J. T.

Methodist Conference. The pulpit will be occupied this morning by kev. J. T. Bosman, the pastor.

The usual beauty and impressiveness of the musical part of the services at Grace Episcopal church will be enhanced to-night by the presence of Miss Helen Anye, who has consented to sing the offeriory at the services. The anthem will also be sung by Miss Nyc, assisted by the vested choir of the church. FOWER OF THE PRESS.

Dr. J. B. Hawthorne has selected for the subject of his sermon this morning at Grove-Avenue Baptist church, "The Power of the Press for Good or Bvil." All newspaper men, authors and publishers are invited to come and hear the sermon. The annual mass meeting of the church will be held at 3:20 P. M. There will be no night services.

Rev. H. T. Louthan, who was called to Clarke county last week by the critical illnes of his uncle. John K. Louthan, Esq., has returned to the city, and will fill his pulpit at Howard's Grove Baptist church to-day.

At the First Baptist church this morning, the pastor, Rev. Dr. George

At the First Baptist church this morning, the pastor, Rev. Dr. George Cooper, will discuss "The Baptist Principle." It is believed that not only the large membership of this old church will clate a conservative and fraternal will desire to be present on this

occasion.

The installation of the newly-elected officers of Mizpah Presbyterian church, Chestnut Hill, will take place to-day. Rev. Thomas Carey Johnson, of Union Theological Seminary, will conduct the

AT THE Y. M. C. A.

exercises.

AT THE Y. M. C. A.

The Men's Meeting this afternoon, in the Association Hall, will be one of the most interesting and helpful in years. Prof. Hawks, of Baltimore, a most powerful speaker, will talk on "Expansion. It will be full of interest, helpfulness, good cheer and suggestions. Mr. McKee has secured an unusual privilege of Prof. Roney, in that he will allow Blatchford Knyanagh, who, by his baritone voice, charmed the Audience Friday night and yesterday afternoon, to sing. His selection will be. "Jesus, The Very Thought of Thee." Master Jamie Crippen, the little contraito, who carried the audience by storm, will sing "The Christ Child." The auditorium Joors will be open at 3:46 and all men are cordially invited to be present.

The Boy's Gospel Army will meet in the auditorium at 2:45 sharp. Prof.

The Boy's Gospel Army will meet in the auditorium at 2:45 sharp. Prof. Hawks will speak on "The Name." Mas-ters Jamie Crippen and Harry Cockrell will sing a duct, "The Lord is My Shep-herd." Arthur Goff, the little master of the cornet, will also render a solo. Every boy in Richmond who can get in is invited.

Prof. H. H. Hamil, of Chicago, conducted the study of the International on in the association hall. He is one of ading Sunday-school workers of

America.

PROTRACTED MEETING.

At the Pine-Street Baptist church on Sunday, February 4th, this church will begin a protracted meeting under the direction of Rev. Dr. Morris P. Fikes, of Trenton, N. J., who will conduct services each afternoon and evening during that

each afternoon and evening during that week, and perhaps for a longer time. The congregation of Laurel-Street Methodist church will hold a rally at the morning service to-day. An offering will be made to liquidate the church debt and other incidentals. Old-time Methodist hymns will be sung at the service.

Rev. R. Finley Gayle, the pastor, will method to be the services.

A mass-meeting will be held at the Pine-Street Baptist church to-night in which the Monroe and Randolph-Street churches will participate. The meeting will be held in the interest of the State Mission Board. The speakers will be Field Secretary Rev. C. J. Johnson and

Mr. William Ellyson. Rev. C. J. Thompson, Fleid Secretary of State Mission Board, will preach in the Barton Heights Baptist church this

morning at 11 o'clock.

Services will be conducted at the Life
and Advent Christian church this morning by Elder Godfrey Gilbert, of Carn-ville, Me, All are cordially invited to attend.

METHODIST MISSION.

The first service at the Methodist mission, corner Twenty-first and Franklis
streets, to-day, will be the regular meeting of the King's Soldiers, at 2 o'clock At 3 o'clock there will be a lecture on the At 3 o'clock there will be a lecture on the character of Gideon by Rev. Mr. Wiley, At 4 o'clock there will be preaching. Tonight the usual service will be held. Mr. Ray Rahorn will give a cornet solo. The meetings close in one hour.

Rev. W. W. Moore, D. D., will preach a sermon to youing men in the Second Presbyterian church at 4 o'clock this

Rev. G. E. B. Smith, paster of Epworth

afternoon.

Rev. G. E. B. Smith, pastor of Epworth church, will preach a sermon in defense of "Working Girls" on Sunday evening. A cordial welcome is extended to all. SECOND BAPTIST.

A mass-meeting will be held at the Second Baptist church this morning at il o'clock. There will be no regular sermon, but the occasion will be a great historio one. A service of song and prayer will be conducted by Dr. W. R. L. Smith, and subscriptions will be made for the seation of a new house of worship. The amount to be raised is 340,000, and already over half that sum has been pledged. This will be a post interesting occasion and the members and friends of the church and congregation are earnestly invited to attend.

Rev. Charles King will occupy the pulpit at Marshall-Street Christian church this morning. He is an interesting speaker and has quite a reputation as an expounder of the Gespel.

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Handsome Horse appeal to every

Sloan's Liniment!

This Liniment is the best antiseptic known. It positively kills disease germs. It cures Rheumalism, Cramp and Colle. Used generally in the stable with good results, where other liniments fail. In the family in preference to any known liniment on the market, externally or internally. Every bottle is warranted. Family size, 25 cents,

GERMAN IN ASHLAND.

Marriage Anniversary of Dr. W. W.

Smith-Personal,

Smith-Personal,
ASHLAND, VA., Jan. 27-Special.—A
delightful german was given last night in
the Masonic Hall.
Miss Mamie Baughman, from Richmond, was a participant.
A number of invitations were received
here to the celebration to-day at Lynchburg of the twenty-fifth anniversary of
the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. W. W.
Smith.

The Lower James.

are coming.

The Southern railway at Clairmont is doing a great business, and the prospects are good for the building of another railroad into this important port

IN HONOR OF BURNS.

Scottish Club, Four members of the Robert Burns

Four members of the Robert Burns Club celebrated the natal day of the Scotish bard by a hagish supper last night. The evening was most delightfully spent and stories and anecdotes of the great poet were told.

The feature of the evening was the address on "llobert Burns, the Man," by Mr. David Headrick, who is a native.

of Ayrshire. The others present also re-

sponded to toasts. The members of the club, a Scotish or-

ganization, who at present reside in this city are Messrs. David Headrick and John Munro, of Glasgow; James Peebles, Edin-burg, and John Adam, Aberdeen, the

At its meeting Thursday night the following officers of Virginia Lodge, No. 2, Knights of Pythias, were installed for the ensuing term: Chancellor Commander, J. R. Underwood; Vice-Chancellor, Henry Messerschmidt: Prelate, William A. Snight, Vicer, Vicers of Records and Seal George.

der: Keeper of Records and Seal, Georg

E. Styll; Master of Exchequer, H. L. Hulce: Master of Finance, William H.

Hulce; Master of Finance, whilam I. Stevens; Master of Work, H. A. Jarvis; Master at Arms, C. E. Murray; Inner Guard, N. D. Harris; Outer Guard, E. A. Kumlehn; Trustees—George E. Styll, B. F. Neisz and E. Delaney; Grand Lodge Representative, Benj. F. Nelsz.

Knights of the Maccabees.

At a regular semi-monthly review of Jefferson Tent, No. 16, Knights of the Maccabees of the World, the following officers were duly installed by Senior Past Commander A. J. Guerpillon: Past Commander, C. W. Montague: Commander, N. J. Smith: Isleutenant-Commander, Late Leuchten. B. and K. Keeper, W.

Lake Houghton: R. and K. Keeper, V

Luke Houghton; R. and K. Keeper, W.
H. Blunt; Chaplain, E. H. Beal; Masterat-Arms, M. F. Burnett; Sergeaut, A. F.
Newman; First Master of the Guards, W.
T. Adams; Second Master of the Guards,
W. A. Collins; Sentinel, L. M. Powell;
Picket, Z. A. Taylor. Trustees—A. J.
Guerpillon, C. W. Montague and Z. A.
Taylor, for three, two and one years respectively.

To Fight the Boers.

Dr. E. M. Hardy and Mr. S. Webb, both of this city, have signified their intention of going to the front and fighting, against the Boers. Dr. Hardy says he belongs to the First Volunteer, Battalion, Queen's West Surry, and Mr. Webb to the Lancastershire Volunteers. The former went to Washington a short while ago to determine that if he joined his company he would be transaferred to the front.

ferred to the front.

The military attache there told him that from fifty to sixty applications came

Royal Tribe of Joseph.

The Virginia Chapter, No. 11, Royal Tribe of Joseph, met at Monroe Hall sast night to celebrate the receiving of their charter. There was a large attendance, and about twenty candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the order.

Sermon by Gev. Mr. King.

last named being the noted cricketer.

from Petersburg at no distant date.

Sends His Flashing Arrows of Wit to Every Corner.

HOUSE BREAKERS ARRESTED

DeLacy Held for Robbery of Monumental Church-Dr. W. H. Taylor and the Great Dispenser.

Bly White Chamber yesterday in never failing numbers urtil the very throne of justice was invaded and the passageways packed like a Main street electric car at F I' M Reserved scals were at a remium and were blied with visitors from abroad who laughed until their coat seams were garing and their sides cracked like a pair of cheap patent leather shoes.

The Great Dispenser was as effervescent Bond of \$10,000 was furnished by Mr. W. M. Smith, Commonwealth's attorney of Cumberland county, as guardian for Mrs. Jane Alston Thraves, of this county. Hon. R. G. Southall stopped at his home here this morning on his way to the funeral of his uncle, Captain Frank. Southall. yesterday morning as two well-mixed seid htz powders, and scattered his fire like an old smooth-bore army musket, peppering old smooth-bore arms hashes perpending in eight and enjoying the effects of his own destruction with the pleasurable excitement of a small boy with a piece of chalk up against the front of a brand new pressed brick Southall.

Three sportsmen of Amelia Courthouse went out yesterday and, notwithstanding the cold, windy day, each brought back a fine turkey. The game law for Amelia and Notioway counties allows partridges to be killed up to February 1st, and wild turkeys and deer up to February 15th.

SMAL!. TALK. His stream of small talk came with the energy of a steam fire engine hose, popping with the air pressure in the pipe and every now and then throwing a small

gravel.
The cases were not many and the dock-

The cases were not many and the docket wasn't much as a money-getter, but being the last chance in the week to distribute his precepts among the people, the Great Dispenser strewed 'emike firing advertisements from a cannon at the coming street fair.

John Redford, colored, was charged with being drunk and was found lodging for the night in the bottom of a gutter. He was too drunk to tell his name or where he lived, but sober enough to feel the indignity of being hauled in the police van, and swore he'd die before he'd ride. the marriage of Dr. and Airs. W. W. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ball Hutchings, of Galveston. Tex., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bridges.

Miss Rebecca Walker, of Richmond, who has been a guest of Mrs. R. B. Smithy, has returned home.

Mr. Irvin Scott, of Tennessee, is on a visit to his home here.

Mrs. William Jones has gone to Mexico to attend the bedside of her son, Mr. Parker Jones, who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. McCraw, of Lynchburg, will spend several days in Ashland next week. Mr. McCraw was station agent here ten or twelve years ago. he'd ride.

LIVED THROUGH IT.

lasted, and received his discharge.
Potert Shope went into a bar-room and found G. H. Booker. Robert was dry and broke at that, and Booker had money. He asked Booker for a drink, and Booker refused to stand treat—a seemingly ungenerous thing to do—and Shope took the only course suggested at the moment for such an affront to a gentleman, and knocked Booker down.
The Great Dispenser took a different view of bar-room ethics and finel Shops \$10 and put him under security for six months.

ON SPION'S KOP.

Miss Ellen Sinton has returned to her home, in Gwathmey, after a pleasant risit to relatives in Richmond.

Miss Ellen Archer is the guest of Mrs. Richard Moseley, at Gwathmey.

Dr. Samuel B. Mitchell, of Richmond College, will preach at the Baptist church here to-morrow on the subject of "Christian Education."

ON SPION'S KOP.

The case of Hattie Glies, charged with the murder of her infant, had to be postponed on account of the woman's illness. Dr. W. H. Taylor, Richmond's efficient coroner, was the chief witness, and a mark for the Great Dispenser's facetious

The Lower James.

TETTINGTON, VA., Jan. 27—Special,—
The weather for the past three weeks has been very mild and farmers are taking advantage of it to a great extent. The wheat and oats are looking very well, far above the average for this time of year. Prosperity is yet moving along; not an idle man in this whole section. The woods are alive to the music of axe and saw, getting out railroad ties, cordwood and timber. The supply don't equal the demand, yet more rush orders are coming. shot.

Though the sturdy coroner received the shock of the first assault with some loss, and the Great Dispenser captured his Spion's Kop, he made the Great Lawgiver retire before the end of the fight with the loss of his biggest guns, and reoccupied the heights.

There was great excitement among Justice John's constituents, who made no effort to conceal their fears of his grave situation, but this incident closed the day's battle, and both sides retired for repairs.

repairs.

Edward Thornton, colored, who was charged with attempting to shoot one Robert McGhee, failed to answer to the call of his name, and an attachment was issued for his body to be brought before Hagish Supper Given by Members of

issued for his body to be brought before the Court.

THE CHURCH ROBBERS.

J. W. McArthur, alias McCarthy, charged with breaking into Monumental church and stealing Bibles and hymnals, was arraigned, and the case continued in order to summon Dr. Barr, Rector of the church and other witnesses.

A. J. De Lacy, McArthur's pal, who was arrested last night, was put under security as a suspicious character and sent to jail for 12 months.

These two men were under arrest three days ago, as suspicious characters, and

days ago, as suspicious characters, and were ordered to leave town in one hour. They failed to obey the injunction.

sacred edifices.

The young man named Phillips at first arrested in connection with the Monumental church robbery, was on hand as

The latter, whose skull was broken.

Richard Randolph, colored, and Rober

provement is going on, but something

Takes me teel stronger and better since I have been steadily enting Grape-Nuss.
"They make a most delicious breakfist, and I would not like to do without this fond. Is there any of the company stock for sale." If so, at what price? It should be a good investment, for your products

Nuis.

(If your Grape-Nuis ever get soft or punky from being in a damp place, dry out in a ple pan in the oven before serving.)

THE VIRGINIA

Quarters are Crowded in the Men's Ward and an Addition is Badly Needed-Something About

One of the most important institutions of the State and one that requires the Williams, white, charged with being sus-picious charcters, were discharged.

SICK MAN'S FATAL JUMP.

Still Hard Aground.

NORFOLK, VA., Jan. 27.—Special.—
Frank Williams, sixty years old, a patient in a Portsmouth Hospital, while delirious, to-day jumped out of a window sixty feet to the ground and will die.

sixty feet to the ground and will die.

The steamship Venetia, which was libelled by Texas tug men for \$65,000 salvage, gave bond to-day and sailed for Hamburg.

\$132,500 to be paid by the Federal government for the Cedar Grove property opposite the Navy Yard, has been received here and will be paid to the owners next week by Judge Waddill, of the United States Court.

The Old Dominion liner Jamestown, which was driven ashore near Bush Bluff in a gale yesterday, remained hard aground all day, despite the efforts of four wrecking tugs to float the big ship. The Jamestown will probably remain The Jamestown will probably remain ashore until normally high tide.

RECEIVER APPOINTED.

Affairs of the Miller China Company Out of the Hands of Trustees.
In the United States Court yesterday

In the United States Court yesterday afternoon Judge Waddill appinted Messrs.

A. B. Dickerson and B. W. Stearns receivers for the Miller China Company.

This was done on an application made by a number of the creditors of the concern, who filed a petition to have the company declared involuntary bankrupt.

An order was entered, and an injunction regard under the deed of assignment an order was entered, and an injunction granted, under the deed of assignment made by the Miller China Company several days ago, restraining them or their trustees, Samuel Regester and E. A. Catlin from disposing of any of the assets of the company until further orders of the court.

der of the court. The receivers gave bond in the sum o The receivers gave bond in the sum of \$10,000 each, with the Fidelity and Guarantee Company, of Baltimore, through E. Leslie Spence, agent, and at once took possession under the order of court. A bond for \$2,000 was also given by the petitioners, through their attorneys, W. H. Beverdge and John A. Lamb.

The following dirms are the petitioners to the case:

Messrs, Zeh. Ebeling & Reuss, Philadelphia, Pa.; J. B. Owens Pottery Company, Zanesville, O.; Messrs. Watson & New-ell Company, Attleboro, Mass.; The Jen-nings Bro. M'rg Co., Bridgeport, Conn. The Will & Baumer Co., New York; The F. H. Lawson Co., Oincinnati, O.; Wm. Vogel & Bros., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Geo. Frier & Sons, Philadelphia, Pa.

AN ENJOYABLE AFFAIR.

The Debating Exercises of the Ran-

The Debating Exercises of the Randolph Literary Society.

The exercises of the Randolph Literary Society, at Lee Camp Hall last night, were highly interesting and enjoyable.

The programme opened with an overture by the Virginia Symphony Trio, composed of Messrs. J. N. Kaufmann. W. D. Selden and R. Spitzer, followed by the address of welcome by the president, Mr. Irving E. Campbell. The oration of Mr. Sidney Lanler, a beautiful song by Mrs. Evan R. Chesterman and a declamation by Mr. Robert S. Rives were each to the liking of the audience.

The debate then followed. The question was:

tion was:

"Resolved, That the Conquest of the Philippine Islands is not Unjust, and Will not be Detrimental to the Interests of the United States."

The debaters were Messrs. John B. Lightfoot, Jr., and John S. Eggleston, affirmative, E. R. Courtney and J. Kent Rawley, negative.

The judges decided in favor of the affirmative side.

Sheltering Arms Hospital,
The report of Mrs. George T. King,
treasurer of Sheltering Arms Hospital,
for the fiscal year ending December 31
1899, shows a balance on hand of \$99.55 The balance on January 1, 1899, was \$263.77 The disbursements amounted \$2,937.49. The disbursements amounted \$2,51.49, A donation of \$5,000 was received from an unknown friend. This money has been invested and the interest will be used towards running expenses.

The number of patients during the year was eighty-one. There were two deaths and one birth

and one birth,

New Trial Ordered,

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In the Law and Equity Court the motion to set aside the verdict for \$250,
recently given the plaintiff in the case
of Robert M. Gordon against the Richmond Railway and Electric Company,
was argued, and the verdict was set
aside and a new trial ordered. Mr. Gorden to the conductor of the Traction don is the conductor of the Traction Company, whose car ran past a mule car and Mr. Gordon was knocked off.

Matinee Tuesday. Stuart Robson, in "Oliver Goldsmith," will be presented at the Academy of Music Tuesday afternson at a special matinee, because the sale of seats for the night performance is so large that it seemed evident that all those who desired to see Mr. Robson could not do so at the night performance. the night performance.

Arrival of Rev. Mr. Minnick. Rev. Harry Minnick, the new pastor of Marshall-Street Christian church, will arrive in this city next Friday from Lubec, Me. A reception will probably be tendered the new pastor at the church Friday night.

The Pace Company's Plant. Work on the Pace Pork Packing Com-pany's abattoir has not as yet been re-sumed, but may be before very long. At present the situation is unchanged, but efforts to reorganize are being made and will, in all probability, be successful.

Urged to Run. At least two members of the State Senate are being urged by some of their friends to become candidates for Attor-ney-General next year. They are Messrs. Flood and Jeffries.

Governor's Reception. Governor's Reception.

Governor and Mrs. Tyler, will on next
Friday night hold a reception at the Exceutive Mansion in honor of the Legislature.

Sergeant of Detectives A. M. Tomlin-son will go to Petersburg to-day to bring a prisoner to Richmond who is granted

How the Prisoners are Managed at the State Prison-

LARGE NUMBER OF IMMATES.

the Routine Work.

wisest heads and the most able management is the Virginia State Penitentiary. Within the confines of the grim white walls of the main building is an immense number of convicts serving their terms of punishment for the various violations of the State's laws, and among them are some of the most notorious criminals in this country. The best way in which to handle such a congregation of human be ings and to preven their escape from prison is a puzzling problem, indeed, and one which requires the constant vigilance of the superintendent and other officials.

MANY PRISONERS

The total number of inmates of the house of sorrow is something over 1,500, of both sexes and races, but not all are confined at the pententiary proper, as about 25 men are at work on the State farm and about 25 men at Anderson's, adjoining the farm. This makes the total number of inmates within the prison proper about 1,255 men and women.

There are only about 01 woman convicts, and the quarters in the female

on proper about 1,255 men and women.

There are only about 01 woman convicts, and the quarters in the female ward have never been entirely filled.

The convicts are required to work, both as an investment for the State and be-



OFFICIERS OF THE TRISON.

The prison officials are the superintendent, one assistant superintendent, four keepers and fifty guards. One guard is always kept on duty on the ground in front of the building, one in the rear, one on either wall, one in each court, and one in each room of the shops during the day.

The cells of the men's ward are very crowded now, and there is hardly accom-modation for the prisoners. The building is old, having been erected in 1797, and lacks many of the modern improvements. An effort has been, and is being, made to secure an addition to the male depart-

be kept on the inside. This department !

Endorse the Seaboard.

The Fernandina Board of Trade Florida, at a regular meeting held at Fernandina last Wednesday adopted res-Fernandina last Wednesday adopted les-olutions endorsing the Seaboard Air Line. They think that despite the delay occa-sioned by recent interferences the con-summation of the plans of Mr. Williams for the consolidation will soon be attain-

delicate, backward children: undersized, nervous, feeble, adults. Lack of nourishment is the cause.

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will do wonders. The pinched, sad faces become gor, and from all druggists

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Fourth and Broad Streets.

DANVILLE TALKS ABOUT CAR RAILS

Car Company Has Its Way and City Engineer Commended.

POSTAL WIRES TO DANVILLE.

Organize a Branch Post-A New Shirt Factory Started Up. Street Improvements,

DANVILLE, VA., Jan. 27 .- Special .- The question of laying seven-inch rails in the new street-car tracks was discussed before the Council last night.

pany, when the franchise was granted, the United States Court Thursday by W pany, when the transmiss was above the D. Robinson, of Keysville. The Habili-nine-lnch ralls were to be used above the D. Robinson, of Keysville. The Habiliinteresection of Main and Floyd streets, as well as from this interesection to the depot. On commencing work the company provided a seven-inch rall for use above the interesection referred to, which will be paved with vitrined brick, while below this interesection, which will be paved with Belgium block, the nine-inch rail was provided.

The City Engineer put a stop to the

The City Engineer put a stop to the work and the matter became a subject of universal interest. The engineer was criticised, and the company as well,

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AT A HIGH PITCH.

Public interest was at a high pitch, and the Council chamber was crowded to hear the debates between the company and the Council Committees. The outcome was that the company were given the right to use the seven-inch rail, while in another resolution the city engineer was endorsed for his faithfulness in the performance of duty.

The work, which has been delayed several weeks, will be begun as soon as sufficient force of hands can be obtained, and it will be but a short while before Danville will have a first-class circuitous, double-track street railway system.

BIG TOBACCO SALES.

The tobacco market for the past week has been crowded, one warehouse claiming to have excelled all previous sales.

Evangelist Garland, of Virginia, has been conducting a ten-days' meeting at the Second Baptist church, which is well attended.

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A chaing dish party was given at Roanoke Femade College on Monday night in honor of Miss Jennie Gray Miler, of Culpeper, and Miss Katle Williams, of Pittsylvania county.

VETERANS' INVITATION.

Cantal Harry Wooding, commander of

liams, of Pitisylvania county.

VETERANS' INVITATION.

Captain Harry Wooding, commander of Cabell-Graves 'Camp, will probably accept an invitation from Captain J. M. Harper, of Louisville, Ky., for a deegnation of the camp to visit him at his house during the re-union in Louisville at an early date.

It is reported here that an arrangement for the season has been made by the street car company for a first-class base-ball team at the park. Danville will not enter the State League.

Cabell Graves Camp has directed its commander to procure portraits of Coleonel George C. Cabell and of the tague.

Cabell Graves Camp has directed its commander to procure portraits of Coleonel F. Benton Withers, to be placed in the camp hall.

The first of a series of four grmans by the Cotilion Club was given at Massonic Hall Wednesday night. Among sonic Hall Wednesday night. Among the visitors on the floor were Miss Addie Chaffin, of Richmond: Miss Lucis Dabarey, of Chaibam, Miss Lucis Palaney, Miss Lucis Palaney, Miss Lucis Palaney, Miss Lucis Palaney, Miss

Mary Lawson, of Richmond.

An appropriation of four thousand dollars for the paving of Craghead street was made by the City Council Tuesday

THE POSTAL LINES UP.
It is expected that the Postal Telegraph
Company will reach Danville some time
next week. The Western Union Company
up to this time has had the entire ser-

vice from this point. Mr. N. D. Vandergrift, of Henry country, while stopping at, the Omohundro House, was taken ill Tuesday night and started to call on a physician. He had scarcely walked fifty yards when he fell dead on Patton street, where he was afterwards found by a policeman. His death was due to heart disease. death was due to heart disease. FORBES-HAMLETT.

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The marriage of Mr. George T. Forbes, to Miss Kate B. Hamlett was solemnized at Washington-Street Tabernacie Wednesuay night. Mr. Forbes is a son of the late Rev. John Forbes, for many years a pro ninent local Methodist minister of Danville. His wife is an accomplished young lady.

A branch of the Protective Order of American Sportsmen is being formed in Danville, under the direction of the chief warden, Mr. Franklin Steams, of Richmond.

ties are \$2.16; no assets.

THE T. P. A.

R. B. Waithall, State Secretary of the Travelers' Protective Association, this week organized a branch of the Association, in Danville. The officers are A. D. Keen, president; Chalmers Patterson, vice-president, and Charles E. Cabiness, secretary and treasurer; Board of Directors—C. B. Keen, Andrew Jamison, J. S. Oliver, E. W. Dixon, Jr. R. H. Thomas, J. D. Wemple and J. B. Anderson.

derson. Mrs. Walter J. Westbrook is critically Ill at her residence on Grove street. Mr. Charles B. Yeager, of Charlottesfille and more recently of Staunton, has accepted a position as night clerk at Hotel Burton.

SAFE AND EFFECTIVE.

A Certain Cure for a Common and Annoying Disease. Many people suffer from piles because

Many people suffer from piles obecades after trying the many saives, ointments and lotions without relief or cure, have come to the conclusion that a surgical operation is the only thing left to try and rather than submit to the shock and risk of life of an operation, prefer to

Fortunately, this is no longer neces-Fortunately, this is no longer necessary, as a new preparation has been discovered, which cures every form of piles, without pain, inconvenience or detention from business.

It is in the form of suppositories, easily applied at night, is absolutely free from cocaine, opium or any injurious drug whatever, and no matter how severe the pain, gives- instant relief, not by deadening the nerves of the part affected, but

ing the nerves of the part affected, but rather by its healing, soothing effect upon the congested, sensitives membranes. The name of this preparation is Pyramid Pile Cure and is undoubtedly the most effective, safest and most extensively sold of any pile cure that has ever been placed before the public. This reputation has been secured by reachers of the extraordinary merit and the

JUSTICE JOHN IN HAPPY MOOD

Always Specify

William McArthur and His Pal A. J.

The regular Saturday crowd filled the

Cofficer Murray, who made the arrest, is himself something of a humorist and dryly remarked that "however, John managed to live through the ordeal."

John vowed that it had been two Mars since he had took a drink and Swore he'd never take another as long as life lasted, and received his discharge.

Potert Shope went into a bar-toom and

The detectives believe they have the authors of the recent robberies of Monumental and Christ Episcopal churches, St. Patrick's Catholic church and other

mental church robbery, was on hand as a witness and recognized to appear as such at the postponed examination.

Me Arithur and De Lacy are known as professional house breakers.

GAVE WRONG NUMISER.

J. M. Cronin, a white boy arrested while in company with a gang of tramps, ckinned that he lived in Washington.

There was no such number as the address he gave, and he was put under security for 30 days.

Wm. Pryor. colored, was charged with being a suspicious character in connection with the assault on Charles Caracter.

was reported to be in a dying condition and his testimony could not be secured Pyror was discharged for want of evi-

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PENITENTIARY

as well as the guards.

MANY PRISONERS



FEMALE CONVICT AT WORK.

cause it is best for them to have some-thing to occupy their minds and keep them out of mischief. About 1,000 men and 52 woman are engaged at present in and 52 woman are engaged at present the Davis Shoe Factory, and the remainder are employed on the routine work of the institution. The cooking is done entirely by the men for both wards, as is also the washing, except the female prisoners' clothes. This is done by women set aside for this purpose.
OFFICERS OF THE PRISON.

in each room of the shops thing a though the prisoners go to work about 7 o'clock in the morning and in the winter time stop at 5 o'clock, but as the days grow longer the hours are extended until 6 o'clock, but the working day is never over ten hours.
The cells of the men's ward are very

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT. WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

The women's department is on the west side of the old prison and is comparatively a modern structure, being in reality a house within a rouse. Each prisoner occupies a separate cell which opens on the hall-way that surrounds the building, and in this way watch may be kept on the inside. This department is

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The shops of the shoe factory are in the rear of the main building, and are connected with each department so that the prisoners may be marched into them without having a chance to escape.

The routine work of the inatitution is very heavy, and the space and apparatus and the great bulk of cooking and washing has been greatly hampered. The prison is equipped with a hospital ward, which is adequate for the demand of the institution. A movement is on foot to have a library connected with the prison, such as is had in other large prisons, for the as is had in other large prisons, for the of the convicts, and it is thought this will be easily done, as the matter is i

this will be easily done, as the matter is in the hands of the ladies connected with the institution.

The penitentiary has been under a quar-antine for some time on account of con-tagious diseases in the State.

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